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SUBJ: MOGADISCIO RADIO ALLUDES TO HAILU FIDE DISAPPEARANCE

REF: MOGADISCIO 1488

1. IN RADIO COMMENTARY ALSO PUBLISHED IN SONNA PRESS BULLETIN AUGUST 31, SOMALI GOVERNMENT REFERRED TO ADDIS DISAPPEARANCE OF HAILU FIDE, WHOM IT CALLED QUOTE CHIEF IDEOLOGIST OF THE FASCIST MENGISTU/ATNAFU CLIQUE UNQUOTE. COMMENTARY SAID THAT FIDE HAD DISAPPEARED FROM HIS PMOA OFFICE ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 26 AND HAD VANISHED INTO THIN AIR. RADIO BROADCAST SUGGESTED DISAPPEARANCE WAS RESULT OF STRUGGLE BETWEEN CIVILIAN SOCIALISTS AND MENGISTU OVER SHARING POLITICAL POWER.

2. RADIO COMMENTARY SAID THAT MENGISTU SEEKS SYSTEMATIC EXTERMINATION OF INTELLECTUALS LIKE HAILU FIDE. CLAIMED THAT PMOA WAS ESTABLISHED TO INCLUDE ETHIOPIAN SOCIALISTS IN MENGISTU REGIME AND THEREBY FACILITATE THEIR LIQUIDATION. COMMENTARY SAID THAT FIDE'S DISAPPEARANCE WOULD DEPRIVE MENGISTU OF A USEFUL TOOL FOR ITS QUOTE SOCIALIST CAMOUFLAGE UNQUOTE.

3. RADIO COMMENTARY ALSO REFERRED TO EPRP, WHICH IT SAID

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